

Abstract Of The Disclosure

Methods for graphically representing interactions among entities within an organization are provided. These methods, in their basic form, include providing graphical objects corresponding to the entities, varying graphical properties of the graphical objects to correspond to preselected attributes of the entities, and displaying on a display screen the graphical objects and interactions between the entities represented by the graphical objects.

10 The specific graphical methods described and claimed include interactions between units within an organization, interactions between members within a unit of an organization, interactions between a member and other members within an organization, interactions between hypothetical units within an organization, and interactions between members of units within an organization. As used herein, "organization" denotes any grouping of individuals or units of individuals, including communities and companies.